Healthy Tomorrows Partnership for Children
Sustaining Community-Based Innovations

The Healthy Tomorrows Partnership for Children Program (HTPCP) promotes maternal and child health (MCH) in innovative community-based programs that improve access to care and reduce health care costs through health promotion, prevention, and early intervention.

**INVESTMENT**

325 Healthy Tomorrows projects have been funded in 49 states + District of Columbia + 2 territories.

Primary funding streams:
- 34% Federal dollars
- 66% Matching dollars

More than $80 million distributed over 33 years.

**REACH**

1,788,678 individuals served (2010–2020)

From racially underrepresented groups: 27%

From ethnically underrepresented groups: 74%

**Primary areas of intervention**

- Mental/behavioral health
- Healthy weight promotion (nutrition and physical activity)
- Adolescent health
- Child development/school readiness
- Asthma prevention/treatment/education

**Types of organizations funded by HTPCP**

- 27.5% Nonprofit agencies
- 25% Hospitals
- 17.5% Universities
- 25% Federally qualified health centers
- 5% Health departments

**IMPACT**

Grantee outcomes

- 83% Improved children's access to care
- 81% Enhanced recognition of child health issues
- 77% Enhanced cultural competency of services
- 74% Enhanced visibility of organization
- 71% Enhanced family participation in services

**SUSTAINABILITY**

Sustainability rates

Federal funding period (1–5 years) | Year 1 | Year 5+
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93% | 91%

HTPCP funding sources

- Sponsoring organization (clinic, hospital, university, etc.) | 52%
- Government funding (federal, state, local) | 44%
- Foundation/United Way | 32%
- Local funding (business/corporation, community fundraising) | 20%

Top sustainability factors

- 75% Strong institutional commitment (buy-in)
- 69% Strong community partnerships
- 68% Early planning for sustainability
- 54% Used evaluation data to leverage funding
- 52% Worked continuously to ensure funding

Sources:
American Academy of Pediatrics, HTPCP grantee post-funding surveys
Health Resources and Services Administration, Maternal and Child Health Bureau, Discretionary Grant Information System

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